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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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Title:		BED LINER HAVING ENHANCED FRICTIONAL CHARACTERISTICS							
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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated May 10, 2004, we submit herewith the following:									
[X	Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted, mailed May 10, 2004.								
[]	No Notice to File Missing Parts has been received.								
[X]	Copy of executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.								
[]	Verified English translation of application as filed.								
[]	Priority document(s): Certified copy(ies) of patent application No(s), filed in on from which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.								
[]	Formal drawings: sheets								
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